## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION

3:16-cv-00452-RJC (3:11-cr-00309-RJC-1)

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**THIS MATTER** is before the Court on consideration of Respondent's motion to dismiss Petitioner's pro se Motion to Vacate on the grounds that it is untimely filed under the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 2255(f).

Recognizing that Petitioner is proceeding pro se, the Court provides this notice that he may file a response to Respondent's motion to dismiss within 14-days from entry of this Order, and if he concedes that his motion is untimely under the provisions of § 2255(f), then he may argue why he should be entitled to an equitable tolling of the statute of limitations.

**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that Petitioner shall have 14-days from entry of this Order to file a response to Respondent's motion to dismiss. (Doc. No. 3).

SO ORDERED.

Signed: October 13, 2016

Robert J. Conrad, Jr. United States District Judge